

Mrs. W. L. Gaines At Home After Visit Of 3 Months In East

MRS. W. L. GAINES has returned from a visit of three months spent in New York City and West Point, where she was the guest of Maj. and Mrs. Alexander Day Surles, the latter Mrs. Gaines's daughter, formerly Miss Anna Lee Gaines. Numbers of charming social courtesies were extended Mrs. Gaines during her visit, both in New York City and at West Point.

Mrs. Surles and Maj. Surles have attractive quarters at West Point, where Maj. Surles is instructor, and they take an active part in the social life at West Point and in New York. Mrs. Gaines was accompanied on her "round-trip" by her son, Maj. and Mrs. Surles, he having remained with Mrs. and Maj. Surles when Mrs. Surles went west to meet Maj. Surles, who served overseas during the war.

Maj. Aldridge, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Aldridge, and Tom Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Morris, will arrive tomorrow from Los Angeles, New Mexico, where they are attending the New Mexico Military Institute, to be holiday guests at their home. Another guest at the Aldridge home for the holiday season will be Harry A. Cline, Jr., son of Judge and Mrs. Henry A. Cline, of Wharton, Texas, who arrives in a few days from Lebanon, Tenn., where he is attending Cumberland university.

Miss Martina Garrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Garrett, of Trowbridge street, who has been attending Lenox Hall School for girls at St. Louis, will return home Sunday to spend the holidays with her parents. Her father, who has been at Wichita Falls and Burkhorn for

some time, will meet Miss Garrett at Fort Worth and accompany her home.

W. J. Quilly, arriving from Mexico today to spend Christmas holidays with his family, Miss Dorothy Quilly will arrive at the Quilly home on Sunday from Leland Stanford university, where she is attending school this year. Miss Quilly will be accompanied home by a charming young visitor, Miss Jane Clarke of Los Angeles, who is a school mate of Miss Quilly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Florence and children, Miss Vina Ballentine and Samuel Ballentine, who have been spending the past three months in San Diego, Calif., have returned to this city and will make their home on La Luz street.

Jack Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Cole, will arrive on Sunday from Berkeley, California, where he is attending the University of California and will be the holiday guest of his parents.

Gene Smith, son of Rev. and Mrs. Hubert M. Smith, will arrive home on Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents. Mr. Smith is a student in the sophomore class at the University of Texas.

Miss Katherine Griffith, a student at Kansas coast, California, will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Griffith, 1407 North Capitol street.

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A Recent El Paso Bride



MRS. CLEO DURDEN, the former Miss Gaby Lovett, whose marriage occurred on Wednesday evening at St. Clement's Episcopal church, with Dr. Fuller Swift officiating. Mrs. Durden, who is a niece of Miss Laura Lovett, is an accomplished musician and was trained in her art at the Northwestern university, Chicago. Mr. Durden is a nephew of Judge and Mrs. T. A. Dale and has, since receiving his discharge from army service, made his home with Judge and Mrs. Dale. The couple will make their home in this city.

Y. W. C. A. Doing Splendid Work Here For The Mexican Women and Girls

SINCE 1912 the national board of the Young Women's Christian association has seen the need for friendly service for the women of other nations who come to the United States, but who do not speak the language of our country," said Mrs. H. T. Bowls, president of the El Paso Y. W. C. A., in speaking of the work of the local Y. W. C. A. for Mexican girls.

The war has taught us more than ever before the wisdom of all activities which promote friendship among nations and El Paso, more than any other city in the United States, presents a situation where people freely come and go from one nation to another where men and women by the thousands come from Mexico and either temporarily or permanently enter the life of our republic.

Understanding this opportunity the national board of the Young Women's Christian association last July opened a hospitality house close to the international bridge in El Paso. The sole purpose of this house is to promote friendly relations between Mexicans entering the United States and the people of this country. It is women's special province to dispense hospitality, hence, as the name of the house indicates, it hopes to extend the hand of hospitality to every one entering the United States and to serve them in any way in which a stranger in a strange country might need help.

The association is fortunate in having as director at the house Mrs. George Burdick, who has lived for several years in Mexico and who has many friends among the Mexican people. Mrs. Burdick was interpreter at the American consulate in Juarez during the war and has a very definite understanding of the ways in which an American woman can aid both men and women who cross the international boundary.

"The house is a place

where the stranger may be sure of accurate and impartial advice; it keeps a boarding house directory at recent and leading places conducted by Mexicans. It is comfortable and attractive and offers a resting place for anyone desiring to get a passport or for any one who is weary after long standing in line at the bridge.

"The director at the house is often able to aid in locating friends or in arranging railroad tickets. It appears that the house will serve also as a sort of community center in its neighborhood. It is delightful to see how the Mexican women with their innate sense of courtesy show their appreciation of this new effort on the part of their American neighbors.

"Classes in sewing and English are taught at the hospitality house and social events such as the recent Christmas tree for the women and children of the neighborhood will be given from time to time.

The International Institute of the Y. W. C. A. at San Jacinto and Overland streets represents the work which the Young Women's Christian association is doing in many cities for foreign speaking girls and women. The institute was opened last June. It is attractively and fully furnished and several hundred Mexican girls are already enjoying the various advantages which the institute offers. There are classes in English, cooking and sewing and clubs for employed girls. Mrs. E. L. Lewis, executive at the institute, is a woman of wide experience, both in America and abroad. She came to El Paso in November and has already made rapid progress in her work at the International institute.

The Parent Teachers' association of El Paso high school gave a most enjoyable program Friday afternoon at 2:15 in the auditorium of the high school.

The program included: Gounod's "The Fountain" by the high school orchestra, directed by George Daland; "Birds" by Mrs. Robert L. Lewis, accompanied by Mr. Daland at the piano; sketch, Mrs. J. M. Frank and Miss Katherine Flynn; musical, "The Story of the Little Boy Who Was Afraid of the Dark," by Mrs. J. M. Frank and Miss Katherine Flynn; musical, "The Story of the Little Boy Who Was Afraid of the Dark," by Mrs. J. M. Frank and Miss Katherine Flynn.

"Mary's Christmas Story" was given by Mrs. C. O. Tucker, and as an encore Mrs. Backer gave "American Children."

"Break O' Day" was given by Mrs. Will T. Owens, accompanied by Mrs. Adine Owens. Responding to an encore Mrs. Owens sang "Oh, Christmas And I'll Come To You, My Land."

Mrs. H. B. Roman gave to the students "Christmas Greetings," which were original.

The election of officers for the Santa Harper Methodist church for the next year was held Friday evening in the church parlors with the following results: President, Miss Emma Nation; vice president, Miss Mary Nation; recording secretary, Miss Eva Line; corresponding secretary, Miss Jeanette Brantley; treasurer, Miss Lucile Watson; local treasurer, Miss Louise Wells; superintendent of publicity and mission study, Miss Rachel Smith; superintendent of social service, Miss Josephine Weaver; pianist, Mrs. G. H. Pohlmeier.

Mrs. Pohlmeier played a piano solo at the meeting and she was the hostess for the evening and served cake and coffee. Miss Margaret Lacey gave the Bible lesson and Mrs. W. T. Bush gave a lesson from the mission study book on "Making America Safe."

The Tourist club met at the home of Mrs. Joseph L. Dwyer on Friday afternoon in an interesting and enjoyable session. The papers were read at the meeting, one by Mrs. J. J. Knox on the Kimberly diamond business of South Africa, the other by Mrs. C. A. Dwyer on Mohammedanism in Arabia and India.

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Mrs. J. G. McGrady Gives Card Party Complimenting Miss Octavia Glasgow

OPEN fires and decorations of the Christmas holidays make cheery and festive the reception suite of the McGrady home on Hastings street this afternoon, while Mrs. J. G. McGrady is hostess at a card party honoring Miss Octavia Glasgow, who is being extensively complimented with social affairs during her visit to her aunt, Mrs. James Magoffin. About the reception room, drawing room and dining room are holly wreaths, mistletoe, crimson flowers and adding further to the cheery Christmas atmosphere of decoration are the Christmas candles burning brightly. Christmas baskets of bonbons decorate the card tables and at the close of the games a two course menu will be served.

Mrs. James Magoffin and Mrs. James Harris are assisting Mrs. McGrady in receiving and entertaining and these who are enjoying the hospitality of the afternoon include: Misses Glasgow, Katherine Kilburn, Mary Glitcher, Grace Glitcher, Burtram Orndorff, Abigail Orndorff, Elizabeth Pfaff, Louise Beach, Marion Calman, Mildred Rogers, Dorothy Smith, June Covington, Bethie Coffin, Louise Robinson, Mary Frances Robinson, Mary Magoffin, Anne Magoffin, Louise Crawford, Nora Henderson, Katherine White, Mrs. Bryan W. Brown, Mrs.

Otto Armstrong and Mrs. James Benson Hunt.

Out of Town Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parker, of Sierra Blanca, who have been visiting Mrs. Parker's sister, Mrs. W. L. Frame, returned to Sierra Blanca Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams, parents of Al Williams, have arrived in El Paso to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams at their home, 1139 West Bookland for the rest of the winter. They are from Springfield, Mo.

Robert Groves Wolff, brother of Mrs. W. H. Jamieson and Mrs. Robert McArt, will arrive on Monday from Austin, Texas, to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. McArt and Dr. and Mrs. Jamieson. Mr. Wolff graduated last year at the University of Texas, department of obstetrics.

Mrs. Frank D. Wickham, wife of Col. Wickham, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Thomas H. Logan. Mrs. Wickham is on route from San Francisco to join her husband at the A. and M. college at Stillwater, Oklahoma, at which Col. Wickham is commandant.

Ed. G. Berrien, of Peru, is in El Paso to spend Christmas with his father, E. Berrien, and his sister, Mrs. Ralph Loomis and Miss Eliza Berrien. Lieut. Cyn. Thos. Berrien, United States navy, now stationed at Hampton Roads, Va., is also expected home for the Christmas holidays. Ralph Loomis, who is at Ranger in business, will be home for the holidays with the family also.

Parties.

Forrest Mosman, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mosman is giving a Christmas party to a group of her friends this afternoon at the Mosman home. Christmas decorations make cheery and festive the home for the happy affair and the guest list, comprising the afternoon includes: Alfred Ware, Virginia Orndorff, Ruth Albee Orndorff, Buford Orndorff, Anita Andrews, Betty Hawkins, E. H. Whitaker, Helen Zellman, Robert Bailey, Gordon Perry, Jr., Le Allison Kirkpatrick, Elizabeth Finley, Noble Kirkpatrick, Virginia Kirkpatrick, Evans.

Delayed Shipment

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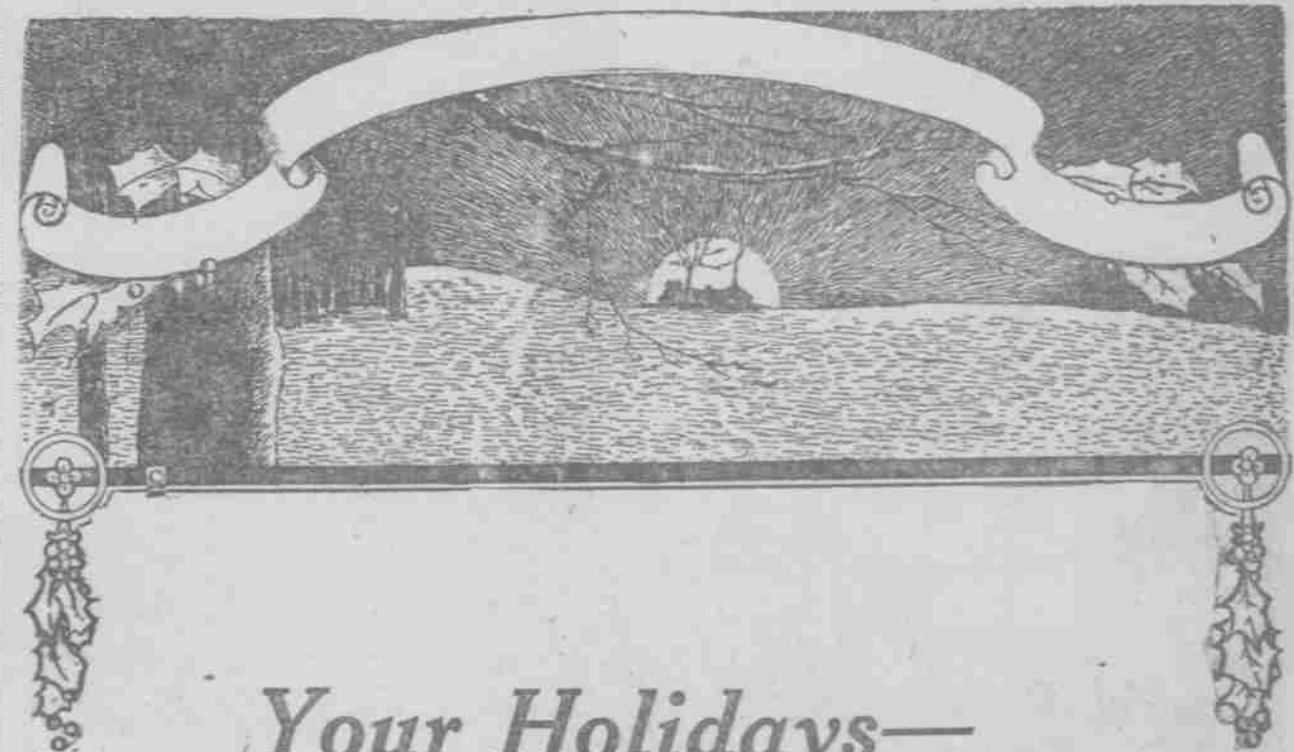
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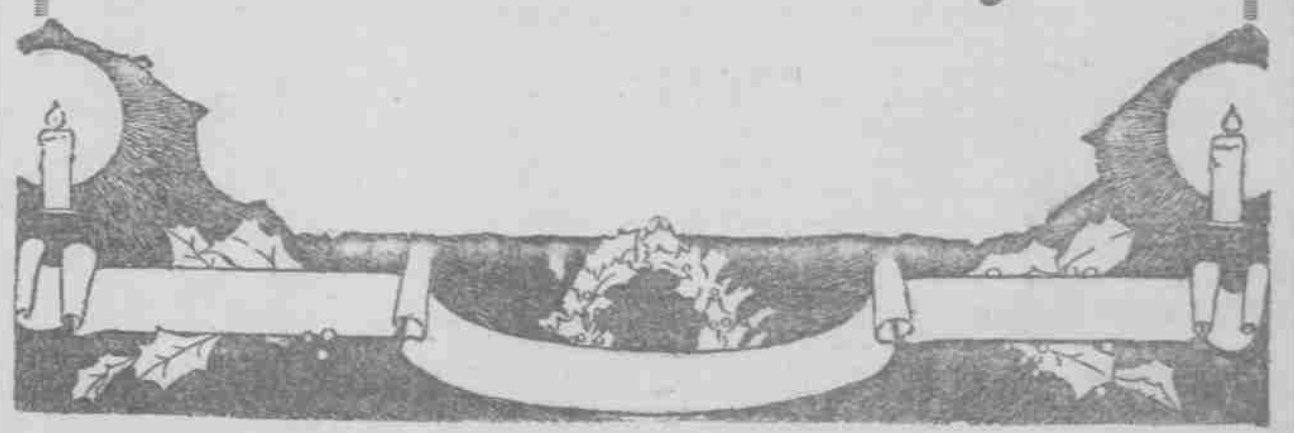
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